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For: ELECTRICALLY ALTERABLE NON-VOLATILE MEMORY WITH  
N-BITS PER CELL

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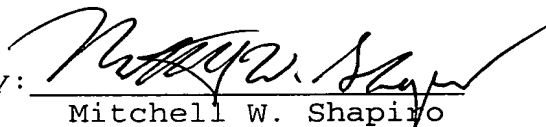
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